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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: BRUNNER ET AL 1 CPA  
Serial No.: 09/425,694 Group No.: 1765  
Filed: October 22, 1999 Examiner: Matthew J. Song  
For: PROCESS FOR THE WET CHEMICAL TREATMENT OF SEMICONDUCTOR  
WAFERS

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed  
November 14, 2002 finally rejecting claims 1 to 11

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of

☒ other than a small entity

☐ small entity

Verified statement

☐ attached

☐ already filed on \_\_\_\_\_

2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

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